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PETITION FOR A TWO-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

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In accordance with the provision of 37 CFR § 1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a two-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the final Office Action mailed April 3, 2003, said period of response being extended from July 3, 2003 to September 3, 2003.

Please charge Deposit Account No. 50-0439 in the amount of \$410.00 to cover the required extension fee. Please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to deposit Account No. 50-0439.

Respectfully Submitted

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